THE LATEST.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The Teller Sub-Committee is still examining Alfred Fair-

Washington, Feb. 19.—The Potter Committee to-day have heard Gen. Barlow and

Wm. E. Chandler.

ROME, Feb. 19.—The Osservatore Romano formally denies that the Pope is in favor of Catholics participating in elections.

Young gentleman from China named Gregory lakiyan Mott. The gold medal for the best dried anatomical preparation was awarded to W. R. Winters.

LITTLE ROCE, ARK., Feb. 19.—Mr. A. S. Ruffle's grocery store at Genta, opposite Little Rock, and the residence of Mr. T. B. Shinkle were burned to-day. Loss, \$2,000.

ROCHESTER, Feb. 19.—Griffin High, Treasurer of the Independent Order of Foresters, has settled, reterning \$13,000, leaving a deficiency of about \$5,000.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Third Battalion of the Sixth Rifles left Colchester this morn-ing for the Cape of Good Hope. The streets were decorated with flags, evergreeus and

WASHINGTON CITY.

THE BIVER AND HARBOR. WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 .- Mr. Conkling, in the Senate yesterday, showed signs of making a fight on the River and Harbor Biff. When it was proposed, as is the usual course, to refer the House bill to the Com-

merce Committee, Conkling availed himself of a rule which lays a bill over on an objection. The delay of a day at this stage of the session is of consequence to such a bill as the one referred to. Conkling will, as Chairman of the Commerce Committee, be able to do serious damage to the bill, and this he will do, no doubt, if he thinks such a policy would redound to his credit. LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATION BILL.

The House had a stormy session last night over the Legislative, Judicial and Execu-tive Appropriation Bill. The proposed changes in the mode of conducting the surveys occasioned excitement. The changes of the Committee met with severe denunciation by Western members. The Committee's provisions were beaten by a good majority, so that the present system of having surveys by contract was allowed to remain as it now stands. The only change made was the leaving out of the Powell geological surveys. There was so much exeitement at the time that hardly a dozen members knew exactly what was being done. The political amendments for a repeal of the test oath, Supervisors' law, etc., were offered, and the House adjourned, leaving them pending, when the Republicans will begin their opposition to them.

The Cabinet Meeting.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 .- The Cabinet yesterday discussed the cattle disease, and decided to apply to Congress for necessary of an Inspector at export ports in order to prevent diseased cattle from being shipped abroad. legislation to provide for the appointment

preferring to wait and see in what shape the bill reached him.

It was given out that the Berlin Mission

would be filled at an early day.

Snowden and Hartranft Confirmed.

The Senate has confirmed Col. A. Louden Showden as Superintendent of the Mint, and John T. Hartranft as Postmaster of Philadelphia. It is now believed that Hartranft will accept and enter upon his du-

The Railroad Committee. In the Senate Railroad Committee this In the Senate Railroad Committee this morning Mr. Reiffsaid the Western Union Telegraph Company had been before the Committee in opposition to the bill now before it, because the bill would disadvantageously affect them. Upon hearing that they were to be heard, he had asked the same opportunity, but he would like to know what interest Mr. Hubbard, who was to address the Committee, had in the matter, and who he represented. The Committée at noon decided to hear no more arguments, and have sent all the pros to the Government printing office to be printed.

GOTHAM GOSSIP.

Blair Confesses to Bigamy. National Associated Press to the Star.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Captain Thomas Blair has pleaded guilty to forgery and bigamy, and his last marriage will be annulled. The Captain, however, does not plead guilty to conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman, saying that at the time of his second marriage he believed his first marriage illegal.

Doing Business Outside. The janitor of the University Medical School is charged with selling subjects to

The Farring Thief. The police have David Pender a prisoner as the man who assaulted Mrs. Debarry on

Fifth avenue and robbing her of her diamond earring. Talmage on Muscle.

In his talk to the rowing men last night bout muscle and good chest, Talmage, in referring to his brother ministers, said: We lose our temper and must have some-thing for dinner, and if we can't have anything else we take a neighboring clergy-man. He belonged to a clergymen's baseball club in Philadelphia, and played very steadily. He rowed on the Passaic morning, noon and night for years. He has long exercised in a gymnasium, and has never been sick a minute in his life. He propounced the gymnasium away ahead of plantation bitters and cataplasms and all other curealis, and added: "What are all ains worth if you haven't health to

carry them? and a man who don't know how to play don't know how to work." Went Off with Her Uncle. John Gardner reports that his wife has eloped with her uncle, and has taken his children and furniture with her, also his and furniture with her, also his last two weeks' carnings.

Church Matters Booming. The Sun says Rev. Dr. Fulton attempted to withdraw the improper language he used before the Baptist Ministers' Conference, but the feelings of the brethren had been outraged by Brother Fulton's words, and they decided that a committee ought to consider what should be done with him. The Presbyterians are seeking to discipline Brother Talmage. The Congregationalists are throwing out Beecher. The Baptists are grosning over Fulton. Dr. Hepworth's flock are letting Hepworth go and hiring a young Methodist in his place, and Frothingham's people are in straits on account of his leaving them. Things are booming.

Chinaman Takes a Trick. At the thirty-eighth annual commence-ment of the Medical Department of the University of the City of New York last night the degree of Doctor of Medicine was Washington, Feb. 19.—The House, in night the degree of Doctor of Medicine was conferred upon over two hundred graduates. The second prize was carried off by a

> Death of Peter Moller. Peter Moller, President of the New York Steam Sugar Refining Company, died yes-

terday, aged seventy years.

More Missing Maids. Several more persons are reported miss-ing to-day, including Jane Doig, aged six-teen, and Lizzie Goldberg, aged twenty-four.

Death of Bishop Foley

Short Sketch of the Life and Services of the Deceased.

Special to the Star.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19 .- Bishop Foley died this morning, after an illness of some two weeks, which resulted from a cold caught while e was on a visit to Battimore. The cold culminated in a severe attack of broncopneumonia, which ended in his death.

The Right Rev. Thomas Foley, Bishop of Pergamus in partibus intidelium, coadjutor and administrator of the Diocese of Chicago, was born March 6th, 1822, in Baltimore, Md., and was of Irish parentage—the son of Matthew Foley, of the County Wexford, Ireland, his mother being also a native of the same locality. When ten years of age he entered the preparatory school of St. Mary's College, Baltimore, and in 1840, at the age of eighteen, he graduated with the degree of A. B.

He studied six years in preparing himself for the priesthood, to which he was ordained August 16th, 1846, at the Cathedral in Baltimore, by the Most Rev. Dr. Eccleston, Archbishop and Metropolitan, by whom he was subsequently appointed to take charge of the Catholic missions in Montgomery County, Md. After officiat-ing eight months he was called upon to act as assistant pastor at St. Patrick's Church. in Washington, D. C., his senior being the venerable Father Matthews.

In this parish he passed two years, and was then (1849) called to the Baltimore Cathedral, where he labored for twenty-one

years in various important positions.

In 1867 Bishop Foley was made Vicar General of the Arch Diocese of Baltimore, which office he filled until his removal to Chicago. November 19th, 1869, he was appointed by the Holy See to the position he held at the time of his decease, succeeding Rt. Rev. Dr. Duggan, whose infirmity prevented him from performing the official

duties of the Episcopate.

His consecration to this office took place

broad.

The Chinese question was talked over, but the President did not indicate his views, treferring to wait and see in what shape treferring to wait and see in what shape.

The Bishop was man of profound learning, unassuming in manner, of a retiring disposition and pleasing address, and made friends of all with whom he was brought in contact.

Two of the Bishop's brothers, Dr. ... Foley, pastor of St. Martin's Church, Balti-more, and Mr. Daniel Foley, a prominent more that city, were with him merchant of that city, were with him through his fatal illness. The Bishop leaves an aged mother, a married sister and a third brother at Baltimore, whither his remains will be forwarded on Friday evening. Fu-neral services will be held at the Cathedral here Friday at 10 a. m.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 16.-Mrs. Foley, mother of the Bishop of Chicago, received intelligence of the Bishop's death at 3:45 this morning.

St. Martin's Church here, of which his prother is pastor, has been draped in mourning, and a requiem mass will be said there to-morrow.

BEYOND THE BILLOWS.

Chaos Reigns at Cairo.

Grave Apprehensions at Paris.

National Associated Press to the Star. Russia.

NICHOLAS MUST TRAVEL. Sr. Petesasurg, Feb. 19.-Grand Duke Nicholas has been exiled to Orenburg for giving improper communications to the

Great Britain. ORDERED TO THE CAPE.

QUEBEC, CAN.. Feb. 19.—Major Generals S.

Creatock and Newgate, well known in Can-ada, have been ordered to the Cape of Good Hope, from England, with reinforcements. The latter served through the Crimean war and Indian mutiny, and the latter served as a major in the rifle brigade when sent to the frontier in 1866, during the Fenian excitement.

CAIRO, Feb. 19.—Five hundred discharged and unpaid officers yesterday besieged the official residence of the Minister of Finance and assaulted the Minister and Nubar Pusha. The Khedive, who was present, vainly addressed the mob, who insulted him with vile epithets. The military was ordered to attack and disperse the rioters. During the attack Nubar Pasha received a wound from a bullet.

THE MINISTRY COLLAPSED.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—A dispatch from Cairo, Egypt, to-day says the troubles there regarding the proposed reduction of the army has culminated in a collapse of the Ministry. Order has been partially restored.

THE DISCIPLINARY BILL. Beauty, Feb. 19.-In Parliamentary circles there seems to be but little doubt that the Disciplinary Bill will be rejected by a considerable majority. For the first time the Nationals, Liberals and Progressists are

France.

COMPLICATIONS FEARED. LONDON, Feb. 19.—A dispatch from Paris says that it is believed that the Municipal Council have resigned, and that grave political complications are feared.

Foreign Flashes. Plerre Magne, formerly French Minister of Finance, is dead.

Cable connection between Natal and England is contemplated.

The striking iron and steel workers at Sheffield have resumed work.

Turkish paper money known as caimes will be immediately withdrawn. The British Government has decided not to deal with the Irish University question. The Agence Russe announces that the Arab-Tebia affair has been satisfactorily arranged.

Hon. Mr. Malet has been appointed British Embassador at Constantinople, in place of Mr. Layard.

The Egyptian Budget proposes that the army be reduced to ten thousand men, and that the remainder, including two thousand officers, be disbanded

Lord Beaconsfield is reported as being omewhat better.

Irish News. (From late Irish Exchanges.)

Drs. Callahan and Clayton state that there has not been a case of small-pox reported in

Galway for the past week. The Dublin steamer Leitrim and th Oceana, from New York, collided in the Mersey. Both vessels sustained damage.

William Barrett, Mr. Rice Meredith's herdsman, sold six bullocks at Dublin mar-ket for £20 apiece. The cattle were grazed on Moanelly Mountain, and considering the extreme depression of the market, the price was good.

Anne Mallon, residing in the townland of Beagh, Parish of Killenkere, Baide-borough, slipped on the ice and was se-verely injured.

At a meeting of the Belfast Board of Guardians, it was resolved to discontinue the practice hitherto pursued by them of strapping down lunatic and epileptic pa-

James Plews, brother of Henry Plews, manager of the Northwestern Division of the Great Northern Railway, has been ap-pointed traffic manager of the new line from Enniskillen to Sligo, now completed as far as Belcoo. A proposition was made to the workers

engaged at the Cave Hill Limestone Quar-ries, Belfast, to the effect that they were to be put on three-quarter time without a reduction of wages, but the men refused, and struck work.

Recent Death—In Dublin, of bronchitis, aged eighty years, Mrs. Ryding, relict of the late Nathaniel Ryding, of Limerick, and daughter of the eminent Professor Me-Eltigott, one of the most finished Irish scholars of his day.

The Limerick Fishery Conservators decided on purchasing a steam launch, at a cost not exceeding £500, to protect the Lower Shannon. Three of the existing stations, namely, those at Ringmoylan, Cratloa and Glyn will be discontinued as soon as the launch is procured.

MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Traduced By Her Husband.

DETROIT, Feb. 19.-A barn was burned near believed to be the remains of two tramps were found in the ruins. There is no evidence of who the poor fellows were.

Mrs. Leonard Reegs, wife of a prominent merchant of Detroit, sues for a divorce to-day on the ground that he traduced her character and cast a

stigms on the parentage of her collider in order that he might get a divorce. By her action to-day she gets ahead of him. It is a case of great inter-est to the people of this city.

THE SOBER QUAKERS.

Their Municipal Election-Hartranft May Yet Decline. Special to the Star.

PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 19.—The vote in the my nicipal election is heavier than expected. Repub lican gains are reported in nearly every ward, and there was a hot contest. McMullen, Dem., who was strongly backed by Speaker Randall, was elected by a good majority.

This restores Randall's influence in the Demo-

cratic party of this city.

Governor Hartrauft may refuse the Philadelphis
Postmastership tendered by Hayes.

TO-DAY IN CONGRESS.

National Associated Press to the Star. HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 .- Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama from the Committee on Pensions reported a bill giving a pension of \$72 per month to the soldiers who became totally blind in the service of the United States.

Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee, said that Mr. Cobb, who had charge of the contested election case of Finley vs. Bisbee, had agreed to waive his right to call it up this morn-ing, and he therefore moved to go into Com-mittee of the Whole on the Legislative Bill. The motion was agreed to, and the

House accordingly went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Blackburn in the chair. The pending question was upon the point of order raised by Mr. Hale against the amendment proposed by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama, making an appropriation for judicial expenses, repealing the jurors' test oath, and providing the mode of drawing jurors. The point of order made by Mr. Hell was that it was pass legislation and Hale was that it was new legislation, and was not in the direction of retrenchment.

SENATE. The Senate has just passed the House bill to fix the pay of letter carriers by a vote of two hundred to sixteen.

LEGISLATIVE LORE.

Commission Merchants' Bonds-Loder's Patent Ballot-box, Etc.

Special to the Star.
COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—Mr. Klimper to-day introduced a bill to compel commission merchants to fite a bond of \$20,000 with the Probate Judge before being permitted to go into business. It is not confined to any particular city, but to the

whole State.

Mr. Loder introduced a bill providing for a patent ballot box, to be used at all political elections held in this State.

The bill for reorganize the Fire Department of Dayton was again isid over to be taken up at any time. The bill will pass.

An Occidental Republic.

California Threatens it if the Chinese Bill is Vetoed.

language of the San Francisco Daily Stock

National Associated Press to the Star. New York, Feb. 19.—The Sun's Wash ington dispatch quotes the extraordinary

Report, the oldest financial paper on the Pacific Coast, in urging a monster mass meeting to be held in San Francisco, to demand of Hayes that he sign the Chinese Bill. The San Francisco paper declares the people are broadly discussing secession from the Union in case Hayes refuses to sign the Chinese Bill. "The East," it says, "has utterly failed to understand our situation and to extend that aid and sympathy we have the right to expect from the sisterhood of States. As a last resort we will take advantage of the geographical lines that surround us, the vast extent of soil within our boundaries, the exhaustless resources of wealth that are ours, and will set up an Occidental Republic which, if it can not rival the old Republic in its glory of the past, will at least be a magnificent empire of white freemen, whose heritage shall be preserved to their children and their children's children forever."

HARTFORD, CONN., Feb. 19.-The House of Representatives yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution opposing the Anti-Chinese Bill.

A PITTSBURG PITFALL.

Eugene Bailey Breaks His Neck and

special to the Star. PITTSBURG, Feb. 19.—Eugene Balley, a laborer in the employ of Bissel & Co., founders, while drunk fell down the basement steps of the Penn-sylvania Bank last night and broke his neck, kill-ing him instantly.

LATEST LOCAL.

THE banking house of Espy, Heidelbach & Co., on account of the funeral of the niece of Mr. Heidelbach, which took place in New York, was closed to-day.

THE Commonwealth, while on her way down to New Orleans to-day, put off at this place 1,580 barrels of flour, 368 bales of hay, and 140 sacks of oats and sundries.

CONRAD WOLP, a cripple, left his board-ing house, No. 73 Twelfth street, yesterday afternoon, and has not been heard of since. He had between five and six hundred dollars on his person when last seen. THE performance of the Clio Club last

evening was not up to their usual standard of excellence. "The Serf" was produced, and although they have played it before, the piece dragged, owing principally to so many of the cast not having committed A SURPRISE PARTY was tendered last even ing at Kress' Hall, to Miss Lena Helmig, an accomplished young lady of the West End, and sister of Mr. George Helmig, of

the Probate Court. It is unnecessary to say that the affair was a most sociable one and enjoyed by all. A Mr. ADOLPH ASLEBEN, of Merseburg, A Mr. ADOLPH ASLEBEN, of Merseburg. Europe, has sent a communication to Mayor Moore, asking who the person in this city is that wants to purchase the patent right on the Horstman Perpetual Motion machine at a price of \$6,000. Asleben says that the man pretending to own the patent and the machines are frauds. He wants to warn any one from purchasing the "perpetual motion business." Mayor Moore has been unable to discover who the would-be buyer is.

THE stockholders of the Marietta & Cincinnati Railway Company met at their office, on the southwest corner of Fourth and Plum streets, this afternoon and reelected their old Board of Directors. the close of the meeting the Directors held a meeting and re-elected all their old officers. A few minutes later the stockholders of the Cincinnati & Baltimore Railroad Company met at the same place and re-elected their old Board of Directors, and the Directors immediately re-elected their old officers.

THE Lincoln Club of Cincinnati has re ceived from Columbus its papers of incor-poration. Its object is the advancement of the science of political economy, or, in other words, it is an organization formed to further the political interests of Republican candidates for election to municipal and State offices. The incorporators are Lewis Voight, L. C. Weir, Dan. Weber, Luke A. Staley, Thomas E. Hunt, Benja-min Butterworth, Parker Dickson and Thos. C. Campbell. The capital stock is \$12,500, divided into \$25 shares.

Anderson Murder Trial.

The testimony in the Chambers Auderson-Laura Franklin murder trial is still in progress before Judge Johnston. 🕻 Matt. Williams was cross-examined, and

at noon Charlotte Frank, a sister of the murdered woman, was on the

This witness did not see the shooting, but immediately afterwards saw her sister on the pavement in a dying condition.

Local Personais.

Rev. Heddaens, of Columbus, and editor of the Monthly Odd-fellow, is in the city. Ex-Mayor George W. C. Johnston is confined to his home by a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. J. F. Henry Wolf, bookkeeper at Niehaus & Klinkhamer's brewery, was married last night.

Mr. J. B. Grimme, residing in Newport, has accepted a position on the Cincinnati Abend Post as telegraphic translator. Ex-Governor Fiske, of Covington, and Mr. James Gordon, of Cincinnati, returned home last night from an extensive tour in

Mr. Fred. Spiegel, Covington and New-port reporter of the Cincinnati Volksbiatt, has entirely recovered from his recent severe illness

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses been issued since our last report:

John Alexander and Matilda Wolf. Bernard Burdick and Mary Meiners. J. G. Dick and Amelia Schram. Frank Kuertz and Carrie Schneider. H. Fortman and Elizabeth Linnebaum. Hy. Pardick and Margaret Lewood. Bernard Altenane and Margaret Goesling.

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Daniel Kinkel and Harriet Lorenz.
Patrick Corcoran and Mary Murphy.
Mat. Wisenborn and Josephine Musler.
John Sheeran and Anna Welsh.
A. G. Mezzetti and Mollie Garbarini.
E. J. Schwensen and C. D. P. L. Haslop.
J. M. Matz and Elizabeth Klein.
H. J. Welf-and Minais Massacora. Hy. J. F. Wolf and Minnie Meyerrose. Jacob A. Goetz and Anna Long.

County Commissioners.

The County Commissioners held a regular meeting to-day, Messrs. Zumstein and Reardon being present. A resolution was adopted rescinding the

cember 27th, 1878, transferring \$10,000 from the Interest and Sinking Fund to the County Road Fund, The Superintendent was directed to clean the room north of the library, and place a lock upon the door, and also to place addi-tional cases in the room to store away all

the county records.

The following was adopted:

"Whereas, There is about \$7,000 due to Hamilton County from Ex-Sheriff Ferd.
Springmeier, and the same has remained

unpaid for more than two years; there-"Resolved, That the clerk of this Board be and is hereby instructed to notify the County Solicitor to proceed at once to the collection of said sum by suit or otherwise."

Nathan Marchant, Esq., made application for a copy of "Levan and Sayler's Statutes."

An order for the same was given.

John Zind, Esq., was given thirty days extra time to finish approaches to bridge in

Delhi Township.

The same time was also given to H. Sewing to complete fills for culvert west of Glendale.

Off for Mardi Gras.

The steamer Guiding Star, Capt. W. B. Miller, will leave this evening for New Orleans with a large number of excursionists en route for New Orleans to attend the

ists en route for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras festivities. They are nearly all registered to make the round trip. Among them we noticed the following:

G. W. Carlisle, Mrs. J. Carlisle and son, Miss Clara Carlisle, Mrs. W. H. Crane, Miss Ida Crane, Miss Bell Woodward, Miss Lydia Harries, Miss Lily Chambers, Miss Lydia Harries, Miss Kopp, Cincinnati; I. V. Da Costa, New Orleans; S. C. Weber and I. C. Martin, Pittsburg; L. C. Powell and wife, Miss M. Little and Dr. S. V. Day, Shelbyville; Miss Belle Burgess, Louisville; Mrs. Dr. Ehrman and daughter, Evansville; Mrs. Dr. Ehrman and daughter, Evansville; Shebyville; Miss Belle Burgess, Louisville; Mrs. Dr. Ehrman and daughter, Evansville; E. P. Houston, H. H. Treadway, Detroit; Mr. Lefers and John Smith, Sheibyville; Captain W. M. Wakenbury (U. S. A.) and wife; C. I. Seaman and wife, Cleveland; Clarence Peck and mother, Chicago; Mr. O. A. Robson and wife, Mrs. J. Loeb, J. L. Miller, Mrs, Thos. Henry, Mrs. Robt. Perry and Clifton Kirkpatrick, city.

St. Xavier College.
The semi-annual exhibition of St. Xavier College of Cincinnati will be given Friday evening next at Pike's Opera-house. This College, de-

next at Pike's Opera-house. This College, de-voted to giving young men a classical and also a commercial education, has established for itself such a renown as to place itself in the front rank of like institutions.

The programme executed by the students will prove a rare treat for those attending the enter-tainment, and will consist of the following:

A Page from History, by Sonior Students; "The Influence of Christianity Upon the Family."

The order of exercises are as follows:

FART I.

PART I. The Mother. Music, Waltz (Zickoff)..... Interlude by Junior Students

Robe George, a Juvenile Orator Alfred, a Young Musician Music—Gallop (Bach)..... .Orchestre

Francis Lasance Francis Moormann Double Chorus Distribution of premiums. Finale—March (Gerold)......

Shadows of Coming Events. A "French Surprise," given by the Grand Social, comes off at Empire Hall this even-The Shakspeare Club will give the comedy

of "Lemons" at Clifton Hall on next Fri day evening. The Citizens' Committee of the Sænger-fest meets this evening at Rottger's Tivoli,

on Vine street. The Knights of Pythias. First Battalion, give a masquerade ball this evening at Washington Platform.

Dr. Wenning will deliver a lecture to-night before the German Literary Club, which meets at the corner of Twelfth and There will be an adjourned business meet

ing of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union on Thursday, 20th inst., at 2 p. m., at 200 Vine street. The Fifth Presbyterian Church will give

a social and literary entertainment to-mor-row evening, to which an admission of 25 cents will be charged. Religious services will be held to-morrow evening at St. Paul's Church, corner of Fifteenth and Race streets, the occasion

being the installation of the new pastor, Rev. Voss. Next Thursday evening a masque ball will be given by Mr. Jacob Getzler at the Bon-Ton Hall, corner of Allison and Vine streets. Every arrangement has been made to make the affair a complete success, and therefore those who attend can rest as sured of having a most enjoyable time.

The Courts. SUPERIOR.

Before Judge Yaple—Anna Maria Sandel against the Toledo Mutuai Insurance Company. An action to recover \$5,000 on a policy of insurance is med on the life of Valentine Sandel.

Messra. John W. Hartwell, George E. Jones and Thomas Payton left for Columbus yesterday afternoon to fight the Howland Insurance Bill.

Miles W. Handy, the young colored attorney who studied in Major Blackburn's office, announces himself as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of the Police Court.

Mr. August Stumpe, of the Cincinnati Volksfreund, celebrates his fortieth birthday to-day. Although so old, he is still a lively "stump"-e of a hale fellow well mediated in Major Blackburn's day to-day. Although so old, he is still a lively "stump"-e of a hale fellow well mediated by the plaintiffs. In progress.

Before Judge harmon—Amos Gould against H. R. Corwine. A suit to recover \$120 for lumber shipped to defendant in March, 1875. Defendant admits the shipment of a certain num-

her of car-loads of lumber, but claims the contract was to ship a much larger quantity, and by reason of the plaintiff not shipping the balance he was damaged in the sum \$752, for which, in a cross petitiou, he asks judgment. Progressing.

The will of Salome Zisschner was admitted to

The case of Thomas, Ludlow & Rogers against P. P. Mast & Co., two rival manufacturers of grain drills in Springfield, O. which has been pending in the Courts since 1874, was brought to a close by Judge Bar-ter overruling the motion of the plaintiff

for a new trial.

The case of Hall against Macneale & Ur-The case of Hall against Macneale & Urban, based upon an alleged infringement of a patent for a safe lock and concave, was dismissed by Judge Baxter on the ground that both the lock and concave had been in use before the patent was granted to Hall. The case has been pending for four years, and at the trial to-day one thousand two hundred pages of printed testimony and a large number of exhibits were produced. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court.

action of the Board at their meeting De-Court.

Drunkenness-Wm. Brady, Thos. Gamethy, Ida Engle, and Andrew McDonald, 39 days; Pat. Sullivan, continued.

Disorderly Conduct—John A. Trimble, Chas. Larkins, continued; Conrad Ranbe, and Hennert Freund, dismissed; Gus. Bris-denstein, \$15; Frank Ernest and P. A. Del-ler, \$5; Wm. Newell, \$50-30; Andy Witzenbacher, \$25.

Assault and Battery-Wm. Meyers, days: Dudley Walton, three months: Guesie Logan and Kitty Bennett, dismissed.

Miscellaneous—Fred. Husemyer, obtain-Miscellaneous—Fred. Husemyer, obtaining money by false pretensees, dismissed, Gus. Phillips, Frank Clark, C. W. Wilson, exhibiting gaming devices, continued; Frank Davy, taking and using horse without permission, 90 days; Henry Bohlander, abusing family, dismissed; Darbey Carner, same, continued; Chas. Marqua, petit larceny, continued; Thos. Cumey and Richard Morrissey, petit larceny, continued; David Adams, known thief, \$50-30; George W. Carlisle, obstructing street, \$3.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Final Approval of the Street Railroad Ordinance.

Company, making an offer to put up a telephone line connecting the various city offices and departments, was referred to the Committee on Water-works.

The Engineer was directed to notify the Westwood Narrow-gauge Railroad Company to raise their track to the established grade at the intersections of Lawnway and Millcreek Roads.

A communication from the Telephon

Mr. Bell, Superintendent of the City Water-works, sent a communication to the Water-works, sent a communication to the Board calling their attention to the large amount of water consumed by slanghter-houses, and suggested that the revenue from this branch of business would be greatly increased if the water consumed would be based upon meter measurement. The matter was referred to the Committee on Water-works.

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The street railroad ordinance came up for final approval and was carried by the following vote: Yeas—Messrs. Baker, Foots, Gessert and Bell. Nay—Mr. Caldwell.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Two Performances To-day. Matinee at 2 p. by the stock Company, appearing in Naval Engagements and Sweethearts. Popular Prices-25e to all parts of the house. EVENING at 8 o'clock.

LOTTA LA CIGALE.

Only LA CIGALE Matinee—Saturday, Feb. 221. Reserved seats can be secured at Hawley's, 352 Vine street, from 2 s. m. to 6 p. m. GRAND CHESS TOURNAMENT.

LIVING FIGURES. ALSO MAGNIFICENT TABLEAUX. PIKE'S OPERA-HOUSE, TO-NIGHT, February 19th, 1879.

-Played With-

Music by the Cincinnati Orchestra.

Admission 50c. Reserved seats 75c. Gallery
25c. For sale at G. D. Newhall & Co.'s Massa. GRAND BAL MASQUE -Given by the-CENTRAL CLUB.

BELLEVUE HOUSE,

On the EVE OF WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAX. February 21st, 1879. The Famous GERMAN MIL-ITARY BAND. Tickets 50c. fell 88 Children's Masquerade Ball FRIDAY EVENING, February 21st, At the New Tivoli Hall, No. 469 Vine street, above Thirteenth street.

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